

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

<u>In re application of:</u>	May 5, 2008
<u>Mannal, et al</u>	Group Art Unit: 2616
<u>Serial No. 10/808,995</u>	Examiner: Kerri Rose
<u>Filed: March 25, 2004</u>	IBM Corporation Anne Vachon Dougherty 3173 Cedar Road Yorktown Hts, NY 10598
<u>Title:</u> CONTROLLOING DATA PACKET FLOWS BY MANIPULATING DATA PACKETS ACCORDING TO AN ACTUAL MANIPULATION RATE	

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 6, 2008, Applicants submit the following:

Amendments to the claims as reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2; and

Remarks which begin on page 8.